



PATENT

Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 02887.0274

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Shinya TAKYU et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 2823
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Application No.: 10/815,934	)	Examiner: Kebede, Brook
	)	
Filed: April 2, 2004	)	
	)	Confirmation No.: 9440
For: MANUFACTURING METHOD OF	)	
SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

In reply to the Office Action mailed February 24, 2005, the period for response having been extended for one month by a request for extension and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.